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*Price List  
and  
Catalogue*

SEASON 1926 - 1927

**Citrus Trees**

OF ALL VARIETIES

BUDDED TO

SOUR ORANGE AND ROUGH  
LEMON ROOT STOCK

**The Carlton Nurseries**

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LAKE JEM - - FLORIDA

# THE CARLTON NURSERIES

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## OUR PROPERTIES

**O**UR Properties lie to the south and extend for one mile along the shore line of beautiful Lake Carlton. This tract consists of over 300 acres of ideal nursery and grove land, and has the protection of miles of water area to the north. Of this acreage we now have almost 100 acres under cultivation and 60 acres more all cleared, which will be planted to groves and nurseries this coming winter. In reserve, we have 60 acres of choice nursery property around our packing house at Lake Jem.

## ROOT STOCK

Seed which we use for our root stock is carefully selected and culled over before planting in the seed bed. These young plants are not forced but are grown with fertilizer which will produce a steady growth and fine root system. When these plants will average eight to ten inches in height, they are dug and carefully culled over and set on new ground, far enough apart to insure an excellent growth of root system. We do not plant as many trees per acre as some nurseries, but the satisfaction of digging a tree with fine roots makes up for what we lack in numbers. We bud to Sour Orange and Rough Lemon root stock, and very little grapefruit, but these plants are set in different blocks so that there is no danger of a customer getting mixed roots.

## BUD WOOD

Our bud wood is even more carefully selected than our root stock.

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We have hundreds of bearing trees to cut our bud wood from, but these trees are watched for three years and data kept on the quality and quantity of fruit they produce. If a tree does not produce a heavy crop of quality fruit for three years in succession we do not even consider using that tree for bud wood. We try to make all our grove trees bear a heavy crop of high quality fruit but, as in all other crops, some will do much better than others and sometimes out of 100 trees we will not select more than 10 which we consider good enough to cut bud wood from. The growth of the buds after they are started in the nursery is then watched, and, if for any reason the wood from a certain tree does not grow as quickly as others, then we use no more wood from that tree. In this manner of careful elimination we are able to grow trees that will make a grove that you will be proud to own and make the highest profits. The reports from those who have set out our trees are very gratifying and prove to us that our methods are right.

### OUR AIM

We are not trying to produce all the trees that will be required for grove setting and it would be foolish to claim that we do any more than grow **some** of the **best** but we do that, as you will be convinced when you visit our nurseries. We would much rather grow one tree which we would be proud to sell a customer than five which we would be ashamed of. The size and condition of our young groves, and groves of our customers, prove that our statements are correct.

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## PRICES

**Oranges, Grapefruit, Limes and Lemons  
on Sour Orange and Rough Lemon  
Root Stock**

Caliper	Each	100	1000
$\frac{3}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.....	\$ .45	\$ .40	\$ .35
$\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ inch.....	.55	.50	.45
$\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch.....	.65	.60	.55
1 to $1\frac{1}{4}$ inch.....	.75	.70	.65
$1\frac{1}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch.....	.85	.80	.75
$1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 inch.....	1.00	.95	.90

## WE GUARANTEE

every tree that we sell to be full caliper,  
to be true to variety and to be a first  
class tree in every way.

## VARIETIES

**ORANGES**—Parson Brown, Pineapple, Valencia, Ruby, St. Michael Blood and Carlton Seedless.

**GRAPEFRUIT**—Marsh Seedless and Improved Prolific.

**OTHERS**—Dancy Tangerine, King, Satsuma, Thornton and Sampson Tangelo, Everbearing Lemon, Tahiti Lime and Negami Kumquat.

**GRADE BY CALIPER** is made one inch above the union of the bud and root and insures the purchaser a much more even lot of trees than when graded by height.

**PRICES** are F. O. B. OUR NURSERIES.

**TERMS**—20% when order is booked and balance at time of shipment.